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To Whom It May Concern:

Re: Public Comment Period for the Proposed Changes to the M-89-00 Tri-Party Agreement Milestone and Amended 324 Building Closure Plan

This letter transmits the proposed changes to the M-89-00 Tri-Party Agreement Milestone and Amended 324 Building Closure Plan.

The public comment period package includes the following:

- A copy of the Milestone M-89-00 Tentative Agreement and Revised Change form.
- A fact sheet regarding M-89-00 Tri-Party Agreement Milestone and Amended 324 Building Closure Plan.
- *324 Building Radiochemical Engineering Cells, High-Level Vault, Low-Level Vault, and Associated Closure Plan, DOE/RL-96-73, Revision 3*
- A copy of the Determination of Nonsignificance for the 324 Building Radiochemical Engineering Cells, High-Level Vault, Low-Level Vault, and Associated Areas

In accordance with Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 173-303-840(3), public review of the documents will last 45 days. The public review started January 17, 2006, and will end March 6, 2006. A public hearing is not scheduled at this time. If a public hearing is requested during the comment period, the hearing will be held at the Ecology office in Richland, 3100 Port of Benton Boulevard, after a 30-day notice has been published as required by WAC 173-303-840. Ecology published the materials on the internet and can be located at <http://www.hanford.gov/public/calendar/?pi=comment> at the onset of the comment period.

If there are any questions regarding this letter, please contact Rick Bond at (509) 372-7885.